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**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Sir:

Preliminary to examination, please amend as follows.

**FEE CALCULATION**

\_\_\_\_\_ Any additional fee required has been calculated as follows:

\_\_\_\_\_ If checked, "Small Entity" status is claimed.

	NO. CLAIMS AFTER AMENDMENT		HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR		EXTRA PRESENT		RATE		ADDIT. FEE
TOTAL	34	MINUS	20	* =	14	X	(\$25 SE or \$50)	\$	700.00
INDEP.	3	MINUS	3	** =	0	X	(\$100 SE or \$200)	\$	0
FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM						X	(\$180 SE or \$360)	\$	0
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\* not less than 20

\*\* not less than 3

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## SUMMARY OF AMENDMENTS

- \_\_\_\_\_ 1. \_\_\_\_ If checked, an abstract (an amended abstract) is submitted herewith.
2. \_\_\_\_ If checked, amendment(s) to the drawings are submitted herewith.
3. \_\_\_\_ If checked, amendment(s) to the specification are submitted herewith.
4. XX If checked, amendment(s) to the claims are submitted herewith.